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CHICAGO BRO	ILER/FRYER
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PRELIMINARY FOR DELIVERY THE WEEK OF 23-JAN-2006

RANGE MAJORITY WTD. AVG. LOADS

US GRADE A 46-69.25 52-55 54.19 27

# GEORGIA FOB DOCK PRICES WEDNESDAY

69.75

### FRIDAY PRELIM. WTD. AVG.:

69.67

Georgia f.o.b. dock confirmed preliminary weighted average price on ice packed parts:

	WTD. AVG.	VOLUME
ITEM (	CENTS PER POUND)	(000 POUNDS)
LINE RUN TENDER	S 135.00	1,118
BREASTS - B/S	108.50	5,530
<b>BREASTS - WHOLE</b>	57.50	1,243
THIGH MEAT - B/S	94.00	976
LEG QUARTERS	26.50	7,584
WINGS	99.00	2.890

This information is supplied by the Georgia Department of Agriculture's Poultry Market News Service.

# ESTIMATED U.S. LIVE POULTRY SLAUGHTER

UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION FOR WEEK ENDING 21-Jan-06

Current Week Previous Week

Broiler/fryer 160,366 154,042

\*Revised

<u>MIDWEST</u> Preliminary majority delivered prices for next week's call into the Chicago area was unchanged from Monday's final. Whole broiler/ fryer market tone remained steady. Offerings and trade interest light. Demand was light to moderate into all channels. Floor stocks were adequate; weights desirable. Supplies of wings were close to adequate, remaining parts available. The market tone was fully steady to firm on wings, drums, thighs and dark boneless meat cuts; steady on breast cuts and leg quarters.

#### WEIGHTED AVERAGE PRICES FOR WHOLE YOUNG TURKEYS, FROZEN CONSUME SIZES, COMMODITY PACK OR EQUIVALENT, US

GRADE A, CENTS PER LB, DELIVERED (MINIMUM 10,000 LB LOTS) WEEK ENDING JANUARY 20, 2006

8-16 LB HENS	CURRENT	LAST WEEK	SAME WEEK YEAR AGO	16-24 LB TOMS	CURRENT WEEK	LAST WEEK	SAME WEEK YEAR AGO
EASTERN REGION	68.25	69.00**	67.00**	EASTERN REGION	68.25	70.00	63.50**
CENTRAL REGION	67.00**	68.00**	67.00**	CENTRAL REGION	67.00**	68.00**	62.50**
WESTERN REGION	67.50**	69.40**	68.00**	WESTERN REGION	67.50**	69.40**	64.00**

<sup>\*\*</sup>BASED ON OFFERS

<b>LIVE POULTRY SI</b>	LTRD UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION	LIVE TURKEYS SLA	AUGHTERED	
WEEK ENDING '	14-Jan-2006 (PRELIMINARY)		YOUNG	YOUNG
	YOUNG CHICKENS		HENS	TOMS
	THOUSANDS		THO	USANDS
Head	167,302	Head	1,687	2,439
Avg Wt	5.35	Avg Wt	15.95	39.38
Last week	150,026	Last week	1,308	1,966
Same wk yr ago	159,418	Same wk yr ago	1,647	2,507
Avg Wt	5.25	Avg Wt	16.43	39.59
To-date/2006	317,328	To-date/2006	2,995	4,405
To-date/2005	319,681	To-date/2005	3,268	5,054

FRESH BEEF CUTS FOB Negotiated	PRICE RANGE		WEIGHTED AVERAGE		
112A 3 <b>Rib</b> , ribeye, bnls, heavy	575.00	624.95	580.92		
168 3 <b>Round</b> , top inside round	179.00	197.75	182.09		
180 3 <b>Loin</b> , strip, bnls, 0x1	558.84	566.40	560.49		
Ground Beef 81%	135.65	152.00	140.73		